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3 MORE STREET DETECTIVES GUARD CAR COMPANIES YIELD TO UNION

Second Ave., Queens and Richmond Lines Accept Strikers' Peace Terms.

B. R. T. RAISES WAGES FOR 10,000 WORKERS

Improved Labor Conditions to Avert Walkout in Brooklyn.

SUBWAY AND 'L' MEN IN RUSH TO ORGANIZE

Demands May Be Made on Interborough and B. R. T. in Two Weeks.

eceptance of terms of settlement rmulated by officials of the Second Avenue line, the New York and Queen County Railway and the Richmond Light and Power Company and ratification of the same terms by striking employees of these transit systems

the same time was averted by the vol-untary concession by Col. Timothy S. Williams, president of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company. Rapid Transit Company, of increases in wages and better working conditions for the employees of that sys-

day's adjustment of differences between officials and employees of the New York Railways Company and the Third Avenue Railway Company restored surface transportation facilities to a point of efficiency they have not known since July 21, when the first strike was called at a meeting of the Third Avenue line's men.

Interborough and B. R. T. Next.

Mile the fiame of labor dissension has been brought under control it is not completely extinguished. Each side yesterday further strengthened its position. The men of the unions, encouraged by the labor leaders that they will seek to enlist supporters for their unions among the employees of the Interborough and the R. R. As soon as they have enough men in their newly organized locals—the rush of applicants yesterday indicated this even the conficiency of the pole of a De Kalb avenue car, ripping a hote truck the trolley to have it modified. Failing that, he pole of a De Kalb avenue car, ripping a bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers are stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and bote in the roof, injuring several passengers were stunned momentarily, and four momentarily, and four mom These developments following Mon-

date will be within two weeks—demands will be made upon the Interborough, which controls the "L" and subway lines in Manhattan, and the B. R. T., which has like powers in Brooklyn. These demands practically will be the same as those presented in the last week to the officials of the New York aniways Company, the Third Avenue and the other lines the have veided. and the other lines that have yielded

Immediate acquiescence upon the same conditions accepted by the New York Railways Company is expected from its parent company, the Inter-

Union Leader Confident.

We anticipate no difficulty there, eaid William B. Fitzgerald, general orough includes in its directorate practi-cally the same men who govern the New Rallways Company they hardly can fail to follow the same procedure Furthermore, the city is a partner with the Interborough and we know we can expect fair dealing from New York." None of the strike leaders would be quoted about the forestalling of their demands by the B. R. T.'s concessions. In

I wish especially to thank our employees for the demonstration of loy-elty which they have given during the events of the past ten days, and to as-sure them of my very great apprecia-tion of the confidence which they have manifested in the sincerity of the com dissatisfaction without resort to the interference of outsiders.

The allusion to "outsiders" was taken As a personal reference by the labor men, probably because this same term had been applied to them by directors of the New York Railways Company in the ne-gotiations just concluded. They made it apparent yesterday they will not leave the situation here until they have presented their demands as a union to the B. R. T. and have attained satisfactio as such an organization.

B. R. T. to Frustrate Demands. That the B. R. T. intends to frustrate my presentation of demands from its

men as members of a union is made clea 'in order that there may be continuous cooperation between the workers of our system and in order that officers may

be kept more closely in touch with techniques of the men, we will propose a modification of the organization of the Employees Benefit Association whereby each department in the system will by secret ballot elect an additional number of trustees, and the representatives of cach department thus elected will form a committee to voice any changes in conditions desired by the men of such department.

"In case af any failure to agree as to the proper method of adjusting differences between such committees and the head of the department the president of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company will give a such committee and the head of the department the president of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company be kept more closely in touch with two feelings of the men, we will propose a modification of the organization of the Employees Benefit Association whereby

THORNE'S ESTATE

Wife Receives Information More Buildings at Country Place Will Be Fired.

Potron Respess, Aug. 8.—Receiving information that in addition to the barns on the estate at Milibrook, which were burned Saturday and Sunday night, other fires were to be started Mrs. Oakleigh Thorne, wife of the New York banker. to-day engaged detectives to work on the case. To-night detectives are posted about all of the buildings at Thornedale.

5 DIE, 27 OYERCOME; STORM COOLS CITY

Three Suicides Attributed to Heat-Lightning Strikes Car, Hurts Passengers.

brief but violent thunderstorn the atmosphere somewhat in the sterday, but it brought havoc in city yesterday, but it brought have its wake besides coming too late to prevent five deaths and twenty-seven prostrations. There were also three suicides trations.

their newly organized locals—the rush of applicants yesterday indicated this date will be within two weeks—demands the third rail. He was taken to the will be made upon the Interporough. Kings County Hospital in a serious con-

At White Plains, N. Y., a movie company that intended to blow up an old house as part of a film drama had the 30b suddenly taken off their hands by the lightning. Arthur Mervil, an actor, received a fracture of the right knee and

received a fracture of the right knee and a carpenter was cut on the scalp.

Joseph M. Dey, 22, employed on a farm near Hightstown, N. J., was killed by a thunderbolt. One of a team of horses which he was driving into a barn at the moment was also killed. Physicians who examined Dey's body said there was not a mark on it to show that his death had been caused by lightning.

Two men who were removed to the Two men who were removed to the Bayonne Hospital prostrated by the heat died there last night. They were William Dooley, 42, of 21 West Twenty-fourth street, and Joseph Napeski, 29, of 41 East Seventeenth street, both of Bayonna.

At Hastings on the Hudson lightning tore into the residence of William Roweley, a wealthy philanthropist, on War burton avenue. A blaze started, but firemen extinguished it in fifteen min-utes. A more disastrous fire occurred on the estate of Elliott C. Cowdin, exon the estate of Elliott C. Cowdin, exRough Rider, at Mount Kisco, where a
large barn and fifty tons of hay were
destroyed. A barn at Chesterfield, N. J.,
owned by Harvey Davis, was consumed
by flames, together with a wagon house
and wood pen near by.

Emanuel Woessner, 75, of 574 East
141st street, hanged himself from a rafter
at 468 Jackson avenue, The Bronx. Mrs.
Yetta Pearlman, 55, a widow, of 57 Eldridge street, leaped from the roof of a
five story tenement at 44 Essex street.

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The body of Joseph Pot, 29, was found in his room at 412 East Seventy-fourth street, with gas excaping from an open jet. Joseph Miller, 47, a homeless laborer, tried to kill himself by gashing his throat with a razor in Battery Park.

Those who died from the heat were James Dousey, 50, of 102 White street, Brocklyn: Adolph Haas, 52, a bookkeeper, 157 Harman street, and an unidentified man, about 25 years old, who expired on the beach at Coney Island.

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He Can't Run for Senate.

ALBANY, Aug. 8.—State Chairman Edwin S. Harris of the Democratic

the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company will give a hearing to both sides and will determine the matter in a fair and impartial manner.

"I do not expect that resort to his decision will ever be necessary. Insamuch as the constitution and by-laws of the Continued on Fourth Page.

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GIVES UP ALL TO SPARE DAUGHTER

W. E. Martin Sacrifices Business and Home to Keep Off Taint of Scandal.

PATHETIC PLEA IN COURT

Lawyer Asks Leniency for Man Who Barred His

Thornedale.

It was reported Mrs. Thorne received information that the sheep barns were to be fired next. Mrs. Thorne declined to say what she believed the motive of the incendiaries could be.

Mr. Thorne, who is convaluacing after an operation for appendicitis, is at his Millbrook home. The fires have so unnerved him that he has required the services of a physician. It was stated at Thorndale to-night that Mr. Thorne's condition was not serious.

To-day Mr. Thorne sent to the Millbrook fire department, which put out the fires at his place, a check for \$1,000, and to each of the three men who rescued his hunting horses he gave \$100 and a new suit of clothes.

Man Who Barred His

Divorced Wife.

Rather than let his divorced wife, Mrs. Etta Hamilton Moris, see their fifteen-year-old daughter Marjorie for one flour on July 5, Edwin & Martin, head of the firm of G. W. Martin & Co. and a director in Austin, Nichols & Co., sold his house at White Plains, his autos and horses, abandoned his varied business interests and disappeared, according to a statement made to Justice Crane in Brooklyn yesterday by Martin's counsel, Franklin Taylor.

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The matter came up on a motion to punish Martin for contempt in failing to obey an order signed by Justice Crane on June 28—seven years after the divorce suit in which Martin named four correspondents, two of them physiciams, and mentioned three others (one a professional ball player), whose offences he said he had condoned.

The former Mrs. Martin, who is the wife of Frank G. Morris of 17 Revere place. Brooklyn, one of the corespondents, and daughter of the Rev. Jay Benson Hamilton of Trinity M. E. Church, Manhattan, complained that she found the house at White Plains closed when she called with the court order on July 5, and asked that her former husband be compelled to produce their daughter or go to jail.

For Daughter's Welfare.

The motion to punish was opposed by Mr. Taylor, who took the ground that his client, in cutting adrift from all old ties was moved by conscience and a deep paternal regard for the welfare of his daughter. In this he was borne out by

tributed to the heat.

The humidity yesterday was less than on the day before, being \$7 at the highest point, but the temperature was more tropical, rising to \$1 degrees at 2:30 P. M.

Besides cracking flagpoles and windows in the metropolitan district itself, the electric outburst did great damage within a few miles of Manhattan. At Torrington, Conn., Frank Johnson, 25 years old, of Bridgeport, was shocked to death by a live wire knocked down by lightning.

At Ridgester In this he was borne out by Mrs. Morris's father and a sister, Maud Hamilton.

"Where Mr. Martin has gone I do not know," Mr. Taylor teld the court, "and I submit that in no circumstances should Mrs. Morris be permitted to know, for the reason that it would simply result in following Marjorie with the scandal of her mother's past, thereby handicapping her moral welfare and opportunities for social advancement and decent marriage."

Mrs. Martin was distressed when told of the court order on June 28 and sought

Martin, following the divorce, moved to White Plains from Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn, with a view to getting away from old surroundings, but that the old troubles were brought back to him through Marjorie when many of the younger set of White Plains ostracized

FIZZ LACKING FOR SODAS.

Pountains May Be Stilled Recons

of Carbonic Gas Shortage. Dispensers of soda water along Broadway last night were complaining of a shortage of carbonic gas, which may cause many of them to close up shop in a day or two. This situation was found to obtain only among the small dealers, Manager Uhler of the Gray Drug Store, at Broadway and Forty-third street, said that on Tuesday he notified the General Carbonic Company that he was running out of the gas that makes the sodas fiz. They promised to send him a new supply at once, he said, but it didn't come, and he was told later there was a shortage and also a strike among the employees of the plant. Last night Mr. Uhler contemplated an early shutting up of his soda fountain.

At the Brooklyn plant of the General Dispensers of sods water along Broad-

At the Brooklyn plant of the General Carbonic Company it was said that the hot weather had made the company hard proceed to turn out enough tubes of gas to fill the orders. At the Manhattan plant it was said that ten emplo-been on strike for two weeks.

LET BABIES RUN ABOUT NAKED. Child Hygiene Expert Says Its

More Healthful in Summer. Dr. S. Josephine Baker, director of the Bureau of Child Hygiene, yesterday put the official stamp of approval on per-mitting bables to run about the house naked during the hot suppose mounts. naked during the hot summer months.

A letter was received by Dr. Baker in which some well meaning person com-plained that a mother on the East Side permitted her children, 1 and 3 years

old, to run naked about the house and ever in the halls. "There's a sensible mother for you," exclaimed Dr. Baker. "In this hot weather little children should be per-mitted to run around stark naked. It is a pertectly natural way for them to live and they will keep much cooler."

Dr. Baker also recommended sponge baths twice a day, plenty of cool water and pure milk and no solid food for the

BATH GARB BILL VETOED.

Mayor Mitchel Says Penal Code I

Mayor Mitchel yesterday vetoed the proposed ordinance forbidding persons to walk or ride through the streets in bathing suits unless these are covered

bathing suits unless these are covered with an outer garment.

"If bathing suits do not properly cover the persons that wear them, sections of the penal law are available for the prosecution of the offenders," the Mayor wrote.

He said the proposed ordinance would require persons to check their outer garments at the beach, and would also tend to establish a monopoly in the bathing bouse establishments.

GOV. HUGHES ADDS A PUNCH.

THE Republican candidate for the Presidency starts his Western trip with a talk to the makers of automobiles in Henry Ford's own



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PHILA. NEWSPAPERS 14,000 HEAR HUGHES FORCED TO CUT SIZE

Famine in News Print Causes 500 Turned Away at Coli-Publishers to Agree to Curtailment.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—As a result of a series of meetings of the newspaper publishers of Philadelphia, called to consider the serious situation confronting them caused by what are practically famine conditions in the news print paper market, the following agreement was unanimously reached:

"All morning, evening and Sur newspapers will immediately reduce the size of their issues to the extent of a total in excess of eighty pages weekly. That beginning September 1 next the accepting from wholesale purchasers of unsold copies of all morning, evening and Sunday newspapers will be discontinued." Heretofore the privilege has been granted to newspapers wistendaded.

The preached straight Americanism, efficiency and preparedness and assailed ministration's treatment of Mexico and the existing tariff law in even more emphatic and telling terms than in Detroit laws agents and carriers. newspapers will immediately reduce the news agents and carriers.

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and figures were submitted showing that the milis were unable to supply the enormous increased demand for white enormous increased demand for white paper. So serious has the situation become, it was pointed out, unless drastic largest which ever packed the Collseum.

NO "COTTON" PAPER YET.

Government Expert Says Flax

been making tests for three years.
"There is no question." Mr. Taylor said, "that good paper can be made from cotton stalks, but the cost of assembling

cotton stalks at a given point near a proposed mill, because of the transporta-tion, as well as the difficulty of getting together enormous quantities of the stalks, must be considered. The same situation applies to corn stalks. "Very good paper can be made from corn stalks. The labor and transports-

gether in sufficient volume to operate a Mill has, heretofore, prevented commercial development.
"We are working hard on the idea of

10 CENT BREAD LOAF URGED.

Demanded by Efficiency, Convention of Bakers is Told.

er SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Aug. 8—A five cent loaf of bread is an economic waste in the opinion of C. N. Power of Pueblo, Col., who to-day addressed the convention here of the Master Bakers of the United States. He discussed the "ten cent loaf and why."
Efficiency, declared Mr. Power, demanded the baking of ten cent loaves manded the baking of ten cent loaves rather than the five cent size. He estimated the cost of baking 1,000 loaves of bread of the five cent size is \$3.55 of American government, not for parmore than the cost of baking the same flour into 500 ten cent loaves.

IN CHICAGO SPEECH

seum, Where Candidate Pledges Efficiency.

4,000 persons to-night in the Coliseum. fluence in the selection of public officials.

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The newspapers party to the foregoing agreement, which constitute the entire local press of recognized circulation, are as follows: Evening Ledger, Public Ledger, the Evening Bulletin, the Evening Telegraph, the North American, the ing Telegraph, the North American, the Record, the Inquirer and the Press.

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The audience cheered him for five minutes before he spoke. A brass band perched in a loft at the far end of the hall played three stanzas of "The Star Spangled Banner" during the demonstration, but the music was lost in the volume of other sound. After his address to the property of the property of the standard at threshing outfit were destroyed near Dodge City. A farmer near Glasco lost a \$4,000 barn by fire of mysterious origin. In the same vicinity John Butler's barn, containing 5,000 bushels of wheat, corn and outfit were destroyed near Dodge City. Spangled Banner' during the demonstration, but the music was lost in the volume of other sound. After his address to the press.

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Will End Pork Barrel.

Straw Is Being Tested.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Little hope of obtaining cheaper paper through the use of cotton stalks as raw material was held out to-day by W. A. Taylor, chief of the bureau of plant industry of the Department of Agriculture, which has been making tests for three years.

"I have no respect for the idea that because democratic government is a government of the people it is a government of the foolish, for the foolish and by the foolish. for the foolish and by the foolish. In the sentences which impressed the crowd. There was proposed the crowd that is a government of the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people and for the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people and for the people and for the people and for the people it is a government of the people and for the people and f

"I propose if elected that we shall stop this pork business. We won't have any more of these kiss me and I'll kiss you this pork business. We won't have any more of these kiss me and I'll kiss you appropriations."

A reference to Villa as "that eminent late in June. A few days after his arrival there he was badly injured in both laughter and smiles mingled with the legs. His parents were with him when "We are working hard on the idea of making paper from straw, especially the flax straw of the Northwest. This is assembled in large quantities before the threshing of the seed, and pulp from flax straw is valuable for the heavier papers and boards."

laughter and smiles mingled with the applause when the nominee shouted: "You couldn't get a decent protectionist measure out of a Democratic Congress sectionally organized any more than you could get a revival sermon out of a disand boards."

Discusses His Nomination. Mayor Thompson called the great meeting to order and Senator Lawrence

Meeting to order and senator lawrence.

Y. Sherman introduced the rominee. Mr.

Hughes spoke in part as follows:

I come to this hall with peculiar
emotions. Here a little less than two
months ago the Republican National Convention nominated me for the office of President of the United States, I had not sought that nomination. It meant but one thing: A summons to an obvious obligation, and as I was while on the bench 100 per cent. a judge, I then be-came 100 per cent. a candidate. "I desired, if the American people so

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

Because of the grave shortage of paper in this country, copies of The Sun, morning and Sunday, and of The Evening Sun, are now non-returnable from newsdealers, along with the Times, the World, the American and the Tribune.

To make sure of getting your copy of The Sun, every morning, every evening and every Sunday, do not fail to leave a standing order with your newsdealer.

BREMEN BELIEVED **NEAR NEW LONDON**

Mysterious Motor Boat and German Citizens Wait Undersea Freighter.

INQUIRY FOR WHARFAGE

Two Submarines Reported Off Maine Coast Appear to Have Vanished.

been brought in of a mysterious motor boat which is patrolling the waters be-tween here and the Long Island shore. It is believed the three men are wait-ing for the arrival of the undersea freighter, in order to guide her into New London harbor. It is reported from Baltimore that quantities of nickel and rubber to form

quantities of nicket and rubber to form the Bremen's cargo on her outbound trip are being shipped to this port. Noth-ing of the sort has arrived yet. Activi-ties of certain unnamed persons in try-ing to find wharf accommodations for the erection of a warehouse strengthen the belief that the Bremen is on the way

Portland, Me., Aug. 8.—Nothing fur-ther has been seen here of the two sub-marines reported to be off Machias. Cross Island, yesterday. All along the Maine coast lookouts have kept watch for the reappearance of the submarines, but a haze off shore made their task extremely difficult.

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The Cross Island lookout estimated the speed of the boats to be about 12 knots, which would have brought them to this port early to-day. To reach Boston would have required eight or ten hours more. The boats could travel down the coast well within the three mile limit and shipping men were pussled to know why, if they are the Bremen and a consort, they did not come to the surface and make their way to port with colors flying. o port with colors flying.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 5.—Henry G. Hilken, American agent of the Ocean Navigation Company, was shown a despatch al-leged to have been printed in the Berlin Tageblatt reporting that the Bremen had sunk following an accident to her machiners.

I. W. W. BOMBS FOR KANSAS.

of Organization Sympathizers. SALINA, Kan., Aug. 8 .- Disastrous part of the retaliatory measures adopted

outfit were destroyed near Dodge City.

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N. Y. BOY DIES FOR ALLIES.

Henry A. Colt Was Fatally Wound ed in Battle in France. Henry Augustus Colt of this city, who had been fighting in France with Princess Patricia's Regiment, Canadian Volunteers, died on Monday from wounds it is the question whether we want words or action!"

Volunteers, died on Monday from wounds received in battle, according to a cable received here vesterday.

or action!"

Assailing the rivers and harbors bill as a measure authorizing a wanton waste of money and advocating the introduction of a practical, businesslike budget system Mr. Hughes said:
"I propose if elected that we shall see the said of th vard University, and before his enlist-ment was employed by the Long Island Railroad.

APPAM CASE APPEALED.

Bond for \$2,000,000.

NORFOLK, Va., Aug. 8—Counsel for the German Government in the case of the prize ship Appam, which was warded to her British owners by awarded to her British owners by a re-cent decision of Federal Judge Waddill, to-day filed formal petition for appeal to the Supreme Court, which was allowed. A supersedeas bond for \$2,000,000 was given, signed by Lieut, Hans Berg, the prize master who brought the vessel in, and L. M. von Schilling, German Consul, It was furnished by five American bond.

THIEF CHASE IN FIFTH AVE.

Policeman Nabs Two Who Grabbed

When activity in Fifth avenue was at its height yesterday afternoon, three men darted out of the fewelry shop of M. Tecla & Co., at \$98 Fifth avenue, and ran toward Thirty-sixth street. Behind them sped a fourth man-Arsene J. Van

BRITAIN TO EXTRADITE RUSSIANS AND DEKAY IN ARMS FRAUD

American to Be Turned Over to France if His Appeal Fails.

New London, Conn., Aug. 8.—Belief is growing that the German submarine commerce carrier Bremen is making for this port with a cargo similar to that her sister ship, Deutschland, carried into Baltimore.

Paul Hilken, son of Henry G. Hilken, American agent of the Ocean Navigation Company; F. Lewis and F. Hinch, the last supposed to be the captain of the interned German freighter Neckar, who left the Mohican Hotel here yesterday, have not returned, but reports have been brought in of a mysterious motor.

In 1915 Dekay was accused by the French Government of having participated, with E. S. Charlier, a Frenchman, in getting \$63,000 from Belgium on false pretence in the sale of rifles and ammunition which Dekay had bought for the Mexican Government, but which Belgium desired for use in the Congo.

The money was advanced, according to the charge, with the understanding that it was to be refunded if Dekay and his associates failed to deliver the munitions, which were in Spain. It is alleged that the arms were not delivered and that the money was not returned. Dekay's defence was that the money was for many years a prominent.

which there was no market.

Dekay was for many years a prominent figure in Mexico. In January, 1914, he sold the Mexican National Packing Company, which he had organized, to the Huerta Government for \$6,000,000. In March of the same year he bought for the Huerta administration \$7,000,000 worth of arms, including 240 Creuset, cappon.

FRENCH GAIN ON THREE MILE FROM

Recapture Part of Thiaumont.

LONDON, Aug. 8 .- A joint attack by the British and French forces along the River Somme to-day was productive of Russians under Gen. Letchitzky have a considerable gain of territory, it was captured two towns and many vilannounced to-night.

Operating on the right of the British. of German trenches on a front of nearly four miles, to a depth of from 300 to 500 yards. On the Verdun front the French held to the village of Fleury in the face of de-

the Thiaumont work in the morning, only to regain it at night. Near Vaux, Paris reports the capture of one line of trenches, and at some points two lines. In all 200 unwounded prisoners, including six officers, and six machine guest water captured by the Franchise. guns were captured by the French. The British, operating with the French on the Somme, achieved an advance of about 400 yards southwest of Guillemont, the War Office asserts. Fighting continues to-night, but the gains ap-peared to be secure, the centre of the

Northwest of Pozieres, where the Australians, supported by other British troops, have been holding the ground recently wrested from the Germans, the stubborn counter attacks continued to the stubbor of these failed completely, the British War Office asserts, but the last gained

the official report. BERLIN SHY ON EARLY PEACE.

Lava in Army Supplies for the

ral thousand auto trucks are also being

GASOLENE TRUST SUSPECTED.

Federal Inquiry Finds an Apparent Lack of Competition.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The Federal Trade Commission has completed its final report on the causes for the rise in asolene prices, and probably will send in column is impinging upon the considerable to Congress next week.

This final report, it was said, will go to details regarding an apparent last.

The Tautons are into details regarding an apparent lack of sufficient competition between com-panies producing gasolene. No recom-mendations for the prosecution of any made to the Department of Justice.

It is understood, however, that Congress will be told that the remedy for present conditions lies in some sort regulation of gasolene manufacture insure real competition, or as a last re sort, in the creation of Government ma-chinery authorized to fix prices.

STABBED BY GANGSTERS.

Prison Keeper's Son Waylaid by His Former Companions.

street, was waylaid by his former com-panions last night and stabbed four times.

The taking of Tlumach cuts the rail-way between Stanislau, Tysmieniata and During the last month a campaign has

ITALIANS BREAK **AUSTRIAN LINES**

London, Aug. 9.—John Wesley Dekay of New York was arraigned again in Bow street police court yesterday for a hearing on the demand of the French Government for his extradition on a charge of fraud.

The Magistrate ruled that the evidence showed that there was proper cause for trial, and he accordingly committed the prisoner for extradition. The attorneys for Dekay filed a notice of appeal.

GOPIZIA Bridgehead, Key to Triest, and 2 Mountain Defences Seized.

GREAT STRONGHOLD NOW UNDER FIRE

Czar's Forces in Galicia by Encircling Stanislau Menace Lemberg.

ORDER TO EVACUATE CITY IS REPORTED

Teutons Retreat in This Region and Many Prisoners Are Taken.

LONDON, Aug. 8 .- Smashing blows have been delivered on both fronts of the harried Austrian armies, official reports received here declare. Italy has developed a sudden resurgence and has finally taken the Gorizia After Decisive Action They bridgehead, key to an advance on Triest, toward which she has been reaching for a year. Important defences of Gorizia have been taken and the town itself is under fire.

On the eastern front notable advance is recorded in Galicia, where the lages and seriously menace Stanislau and with it Lemberg, the Galician the French captured a small wood and a trench, making the conquest in this territory in two days the whole of a line Lemberg, it is unofficially reported, has been ordered evacuated.

Military experts believe that the Austrian forces along the Italian front were weakened to bolster up the defence against Russia, and that Italy seized the chance to launch an offensive of great magnitude, the force of which is only be-

ginning to be felt.

The Italian success is hailed as the greatest victory for Gen. Cadorna's men since the opening of the Austro-Italian war. Besides the Gorizia bridgehead, where the Austrians have defended them-selves with the greatest stubbornness, Monte Sabotino and Monte St. Michele, scenes of almost equally severe fighting, have failen before the new Italian of-

the fortress is considered by Italian military officers to be immine Behind the brideghead lies the Austrian fortress of Gorizia, which has held

up the Italian advance toward Trieste up the Italian advance toward With Longueval. High Wood, Pozieres, Marmetz, Loos and Givenchy, all on the British front. The firing at the first three ish front. The firing at the first three isonzo. From trenches of concrete and armored steel Austrian machine guns for points was characterized as "heavy" in months have beaten off Italian attack

on San Michele, inflicting frightful losses on the attacking forces.

More Than 10,000 Prisoners. Prisoners are still surrendering by the Berlin, Aug. 8.—Though the feeling as having been captured in as having been captured in some quarters that peace may as having been captured in as having been captured in an Austrian official statement received to night. A withdrawal to the eastern isongo, the statement to the eastern isongo, the statement was necessary to avoid severe thousands as a result of the Italian opsands of army overcoats, fresh from the losses to the defenders of the bridge-manufacturers, are being packed away, head because of the desperate attacks ready for shipment to the front. Sev-made by the Italians. made by the Italians.

The Russian advance south of the Dniester has embraced the towns of Nizniow, fifteen miles northeast of the important railway centre of Stanislau

and Tlumach, eighteen miles east on the Stanislau-Buczacz railway, together with the villages of Bratychuy, Palakhiche,

Nadworna, twenty miles south of Stanislau, Charnolocze, Krovotula, Nove and Ottynia, fifteen miles southeast. The Russians there have almost encircled

Stanislau. The left flank of the advanc-The Teutons are retreating Petrograd asserts, and prisoners and war material in great volume are pour-ing into Russian hands. Great explo-sions heard behind the Austro-German

and supplies were being destroyed.

Teuton Resistance Falls. The advance is being made by Gen. Letchitzky, who a week ago in spite of flooded rivers and heavy roads began anew his hammering of the right flank of Gen. Count von Bothmer's army, and by a cavalry attack took Ezerzany Tlumach is ten miles further to the

There has been little news from this

Because his father had ordered him to keep away from gangsters in his own street and the next William Jackson, Jr., 15 years old, of 555 West Fifty-third receinforcements sent to stiffen Von Both-

Exen, manager of the store—hatless and shouting "Stop, thief!"

At Thirty-fourth street Traffic Policeman Harfst caught two panting individuals who said they were James Nolan, 26, and John S. King, 30, but each of whom refused to give his address.

They, with another, had seized six diaground in Nolan's pocket, and both men were locked up charged with grand larceny. The third man escaped.

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